

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-10 (Canceled).

Claim 11 (Previously Presented): A method of treating organic pollution comprising:
treating a substrate with an electrical treatment, an ozone UV radiation, or a flame;
then
optionally washing said substrate;
wherein said substrate comprises
a material selected from the group consisting of glass, oxide, mineral, metallic
material and mixtures thereof,
one or more stacked layers, and/or
a particular surface morphology.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): The method as claimed in claim [[1]] 11, wherein
said electrical treatment is selected from the group consisting of a corona discharge type, a
plasma, an electric field and combinations thereof.

Claim 13 (Currently Amended): The method as claimed in claim [[1]] 11, wherein
said substrate is hydrophilic and/or oleophilic.

Claim 14 (Currently Amended): The method as claimed in claim [[3]] 13, wherein
said substrate comprises a layer which comprises at least partly oxidized derivative of silicon

selected from the group consisting of silicon dioxide, oxygen-depleted substoichiometric oxides of silicon, silicon oxycarbide, silicon oxynitride and mixtures thereof.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): The method as claimed in claim [[3]] 13, wherein said substrate comprises a layer of titanium oxide at least partly crystallized in the form of anatase, rutile or anatase/rutile mixture.

Claim 16 (Currently Amended): A device capable of treating organic pollution as claimed in claim [[1]] 11, wherein said substrate comprises a single or multiple glazing unit comprising monolithic or laminated glass, wherein said device is installed in proximity to or integrated into a glazing manufacturing line.

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): A device capable of treating organic pollution as claimed in claim [[1]] 11, wherein

said substrate comprises a single or multiple glazing unit comprising monolithic or laminated glass, and

said device is capable of being activated on the site where the single or multiple glazing unit is installed.

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): A device capable of treating organic pollution as claimed in claim [[1]] 11, wherein said device comprises a terminal tool that can be moved over the surface of the substrate, or in proximity to said surface of the substrate.

Claim 19 (Currently Amended): The method as claimed in claim 11, wherein said substrate comprises to a single or multiple glazing unit comprising monolithic or laminated glass, and

a layer which comprises at least partly oxidized derivative of silicon selected from the group consisting of silicon dioxide, oxygen-depleted substoichiometric oxides of silicon, silicon oxycarbide, silicon oxynitride and mixtures thereof, and/or

a layer comprising TiO_2 .

Claim 20 (Currently Amended): A single or multiple glazing unit comprising monolithic or laminated glass, wherein said single or multiple glazing unit has been subjected to the treatment method of claim 11.

SUPPORT FOR THE AMENDMENT

Claims 11-20 are present.

Support the claims is found in the originally filed claims and throughout the specification.

Claims 12-20 are currently amended to change the dependency of these dependent claims to refer to either directly or indirectly to Claim 11.

Upon entry of the amendment Claims 11-20 will be active.

No new matter is believed to have been added. An action on the merits and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated June 15, 2006, Applicants elect, with traverse,
Group I, Claims 11-15 and 19 drawn to a method.